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TO: Chief, Reference Operations Division

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SUBJECT: Vartec Telecom, Inc. and CommuniGroup Inc. v. FCC & USA, D.C. Cir. No. 97-1706. Filing of a Petition for Review in the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit.

DATE: December 22, 1997

This is to advise you that Vartec Telecom, Inc. and CommuniGroup, Inc. on November 26, 1997, filed a Section 402(a) Petition for Review of: Administration of the North American Numbering Plan, Carrier Identification Codes (CICs), FCC 97-386 (released October 22, 1997).

Petitioners seek review of the Commission's decision to replace 3-digit carrier identification codes and 5-digit carrier access codes with four and seven digit codes.

The Court has docketed this case as No. 97-1706. The attorney assigned to handle the litigation of this case is Carl D. Lawson.

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